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SUBJ: UNEP: GC/III, PLENARY, APRIL 30, A.M.

SUMMARY: COUNCIL INITIALLY COMPLETED ACTION WITHOUT DEBATE, ON ALL RECOMMENDATIONS FROM COMMITTEE II (REPORTED SEPTEL); CONSIDERED AND APPROVED COMMITTEE I RECOMMENDATIONS ON LEVEL I REPORT; ACCEPTED CREDENTIALS REPORT; APPROVED SECTIONS PLENARY REPORT ON GENERAL DEBATE; AND TOOK DECISION ON RESOLUTION ON STATUS ENVIRONMENTAL CONVENTIONS. END SUMMARY

1. COUNCIL CONSIDERED AND ADOPTED WITHOUT DEBATE

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REPORT AND ALL RECOMMENDATIONS OF SESSIONAL COMMITTEE

II, EXCEPT FINAL COMMITTEE ACTION WHICH NOT PREPARED

IN TIME. BRIEF LAST CHAPTER OF COMMITTEE II REPORT

AND FINAL RECOMMENDATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED AT PLENARY

MAY 2.

2. WITH MINIMUM OF DEBATE, PLENARY APPROVED REPORT OF

COMMITTEE I DEALING WITH LEVEL I REPORT (DOC. 30) AND, AFTER ACCEPTANCE MINOR AMENDMENT BY TURKEY, ADOPTED BY VOTE 35-0-0 OMNIBUS DECISION THIS ITEM NOTING REPORT WITH GRATITUDE (RATHER THAN "APPROVAL" TO WHICH PRC DEMURRED) AND SETTING FORTH VARIOUS CRITERIA AND GUIDELINES FOR BENEFIT EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR IN PREPARATION FUTURE SUCH REPORTS. ON LEVEL II REPORT (DOC. 31 AND ADDS 1-3) COUNCIL ADOPTED WITHOUT DISCUSSION OR VOTE COMMITTEE I RECOMMENDATION GENERALLY ENDORSING ED'S PROPOSALS REGARDING PREPARATION THIS REPORT AND IDENTIFYING NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CRITERIA FOR CONCENTRATING UNEP PROGRAM ACTIVITIES IN BOTH LEVELS II AND III. COUNCIL APPROVED, ALSO WITHOUT DEBATE, ACTION ON UN DESERTIFICATION CONFERENCE (UNGA RES. 3337 (XXIX), GENERALLY IN ACCORD RECOMMENDATIONS IN DOC. 51/ADD 2, AND AUTHORIZED ED EXPEND UP TO \$500,000 FOR PREPARATORY WORK, WITH FURTHER FINANCING TO BE CONSIDERED AT 4TH SESSION.

3. ROUTINE CREDENTIALS REPORT, PREPARED BY BUREAU, ACCEPTED WITHOUT COMMENT.

4. PLENARY ADOPTED WITH MINIMUM DEBATE VARIOUS CHAPTERS REPORT OF PLENARY SESSIONS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED. ONLY QUESTIONS OF SUBSTANCE AROSE OVER REPORT'S TREATMENT OF DEBATE ON ITEM 13, SHARED NATURAL RESOURCES, WHERE VARIOUS DELEGATIONS CONCERNED THAT THEIR EXPLANATIONS OF VOTE INADEQUATELY PRESENTED. MATTER DEALT WITH EXPEDITIOUSLY AFTER JAMAICAN RAPPORTEUR'S PLEA THAT DELEGATIONS BE BRIEF AND CONCISE.

5. FINAL ACTION THIS PLENARY WAS ADOPTION BY CONSENSUS ON DRAFT DECISION SUGGESTED BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT URG-
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